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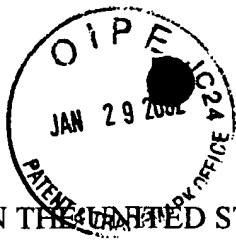
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In re Application of:)
Orlowski)
Serial No.: 09/428982) Examiner: Patel, V
Filed: 10/28/99) Art Unit: 3626
For: BEARING ISOLATOR)

SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT OF FACTS FOR
UNINTENTIONAL ABANDONMENT

This application was filed on 10/28/99 and assigned application number 09/428/982. An official office action was mailed on 12/20/00. A response within the 6-month statutory period was required by 6/20/01. A proper response, including an amendment and CPA, was filed on 6/19/01. However, it erroneously did not include payment for a 3-month extension to concurrently maintain both the patent application and the CPA. This action was unintended on my part and resulted in the patent application becoming abandoned as of 6/20/01. A further communication from the patent examiner providing for a two-month extension to correct the error was not allowed by statute and should not have been pursued. All action taken on my part resulting in the abandonment of application 09/428,982 was unintentional and the purpose of this application is solely to re-instate patent application 09/428,982.

Respectfully submitted,

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